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**Minerals Inspection Report** 

09/08/2014

Report Date:

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Mine Name: La Sal #2 Mine Status: Permit Number: S/037/0125 Inactive Operator Name: Laramide La Sal, Inc. Inspection Date: 08/26/2014 Permit Fees: Paid Inspector(s): M. Bradley **Bond Amount:** \$69,323 Inspection Time: 2:30pm Attendee(s): Doug Rowles, BLM Weather: Cloudy, warm Bond Escalation: 08/23/2017 Inspection Purpose: Routine inspection Prior Inspection: 07/24/2013 **Conclusions and Recommendations** Location: 652182.00 m E, 4232399.00 m N, UTM Zone 12N. Inspection was to follow up on operator statement that knapweed occurrence found in 2013 had been addressed. We looked around the location where knapweed was found and saw no evidence of any occurrence on site. Eradication effort appears to have been successful. **Elements of Inspection** Evaluated & Commented Enforcement Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds X Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls) No safety issues present. Protection of Drainages/Erosion Control No erosion issues present. Deleterious Material Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety) X Road into site inside the locked gate is covered with Russian thistle. 6. Reclamation 7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts) 8. Soils Revegetation Checked for presence of knapweed after operator stated they had been removed/eradicated. Inspection confirmed no knapweed currently present. 10. Other

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Area immediately west of topsoil stockpile where knapweed was located. No evidence of knapweed now.





Road into site covered with Russian thistle, except where this harvester ant colony has cleared the vegetation away from around the nest entrance.

